

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re U.S. National Phase of International )  
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR )  
MOLDING AND CURING A TYRE )  
FOR VEHICLE WHEELS )

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**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination ("RCE"), fulfills the requirements for a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, and is in response to the Final Office Action mailed March 9, 2010, the period for response to which has been extended through July 9, 2010, by a request for extension of one month, and fee payment filed concurrently herewith. Please amend the above-identified application as follows

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.